



A request for a three-month extension of time to respond is also enclosed herewith. This three-month extension will bring the due date to February 23, 2006, which is within the six-month statutory period. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of **\$1020.00** to Deposit Account No. 08-3038/**11362.0039.NPUS01** for this three-month extension. An Information Disclosure Statement is also enclosed herewith. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of **\$180.00** for the fee as set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to the Deposit Account No. listed above. Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from the Deposit Account listed above.

Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.